

## COMMANDER WILLIAM SADLER

Commander William Sadler was commissioned via the NROTC program at the University of Mississippi. Since his commissioning, he has served in **USS JOHN S. MCCAIN (DDG 36)**, **USS TALBOT (FFG 4)**, **USS FOX (CG 33)**, **USS AYLWIN (FF 1081)**, COM-DESRON FOUR and **USS SELLERS (DDG 11)**.

Additionally, CDR Sadler served as an NGFS Spotter/Aerial Observer in the Republic of Vietnam.

His personal awards include the Meritorious Service Medal, Bronze Star with "V", Purple Heart, Air Medal, Navy Commendation Medal and various campaign and unit citations.

CDR Sadler is married to the former Pat Stewart, and they reside in Goose Creek, South Carolina with their three children.



## CDS 36 CHIEF STAFF OFFICER

### COMMANDER PAUL RINN

A native of New York City, Commander Paul X. Rinn graduated from Marist College in Poughkeepsie, New York in 1968 with a B.S. in Political Science. He has conducted graduate studies at Stanford University and is presently a candidate in the International Relations Masters Program at Salve Regina College in Newport, Rhode Island. Commissioned an Ensign through the Reserve Officer Candidate Program, Commander Rinn was assigned to **USS SANSFIELD (DD 837)** as CIC and Electronics Material Officer. Following deployments to South America and the Middle East, he received a Fleet Spot promotion to Lieutenant and was assigned as **USS SANSFIELD's** Operations Officer.

Other tours of duty include assignment to the U.S. Navy Advisory Group Thailand/Cambodia, Weapons Officer in **USS BLAKLEY (FF 1072)**, Operations and Tactics Officer First Canadian Destroyer Squadron, and Executive Officer in **USS BOWEN (FF 1079)** before his assignment as Chief Staff Officer Destroyer Squadron 36. Commander Rinn's personal awards include the Joint Service Commendation Medal, Navy Commendation Medal with Gold Star, and the Navy Achievement Medal.

Commander Rinn is married to the former Anne Pamela Paul of Staten Island, New York. They presently reside with their three children in Summerville, S.C.

